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Conventions at Sykesville

J. L. Long, Esq., of Sykesville, was a pleasant caller at THE STAR office Saturday afternoon. Mr. Long, who has been a member of the program committee for Bible School Conventions of the Clearfield Baptist Association for years, says the convention of the above Association held in Sykesville last Wednesday was one of the best conventions ever held by the Association. The morning, afternoon and evening sessions were well attended and great interest was taken in the program.

The B. Y. P. U. convention held in Sykesville on Thursday was also well attended and was very interesting. Quite a number of Reynoldsville

people attended both conventions. The people of Sykesville are very hospitable and can entertain delegates right royally.

Poor Farm Question.

The columns of THE STAR are now open for the discussion of the poor farm question, and we trust anyone who may have something to say on the question, either for or against, will not be backward about it. The poor farm is as important matter to be settled by the voters at the February election.

The girls of this place who have been working in the silk mill at Reynoldsville have all returned home. The girls don't seem to take very well, so they say, and they know.-Big Soldier correspondent DuBois Express.

Come early, make your selections, have your goods engraved free and laid away until Xmas at Hoffman's, the

French briar pipes and smokers' articles of all kind at Riston's.

Call and see the bargains at J. E. Welsh & Co.'s shoe store.

Boys' knee pants suits from \$1.25 to \$4.75 at Seeley's.

Remember that all goods sold by Gooder are guaranteed to be of the highest grade.

All the latest styles in collars at

Have you seen the new line of cross stripes in shirts at Millirens.

Gooder is the sole agent of Reynoldsville for the famous Columbia Graphophone. Come in and hear it play and sing.

Several houses and lots and a business place in center of town for sale. For particulars inquire of C. J. Kerr, Esq.

Some men absorb the beautiful lessons of charity and brotherly love taught by secret orders about as much as water percolates through the back of a duck. -Falls Creek Sun.

When in town stop at Clark's restaurant and get a good cup of coffee or a bowl of soup, or a sandwich. Country produce bought and sold.

When you want a cup of the best coffee in the world, call for Chase & Sanborn's. For sale only by Moore, the

Boys' all-wool reefer coats, \$1.75 to \$4.75 at Seeley's.

A full line of holiday goods at the Reynolds Drug Store.

Following are press elippings concerning the night entertainers for the teachers' Institute in Brookville during holiday week

Miss Anna Buckbee last Friday evenevening gave her popular lecture on "Cuba and the Cubans." It was largely attended and heartily received. She is a lady of culture and refinement and is unexcelled as a lecturer.—Cambridge (Pa.) Enterprise.

The Washington Post says of Gen. The Washington Post says of Gen.
John B. Gordon's lecture on "The Last
Days of the Confederacy," a great man
and a great lecture. The pathos and elequence, the brilliant wit and picture esque fancy of the orator moved the audience to sobs and tears and laughter and spontaneous bursts of rapturous ap-proval, as the sentiment of the occasion proval, as the sentiment of the occasion

The concert by the C. M. Parker Concert Co. last evening was a great suc-About fifteen hundred were present. There a storm of applause and encores were numerous. The program of twelve numbers was doubled .-Allentown Morning Call.

Thomas Dixon is a perfect master of the art of oratory.-New York Tribune. The above entertainers are given in order above as they will appear before the institute, beginning with Miss Buckbee Monday evening.

People Who Pay the Printer.

The following persons have paid their subscriptions or added their names to our list since last week:

Jarvis Williams, Reynoldsville, November

Joseph Hunter, Rockdale Mills, October Clinton C. Myers, Heathville, Pa., [new]

Wm. Mabon, Marion Center, Pa., November

A. W. Pentz, Reynoldsville, (new) Decem-Frank McGinnis, Reynoldsville, May 25, '90.

George Camp, Reynoldsville, [new] Decem-G. Snyder, Reynoldsville, [new] December

C. H. Gordon, Washington, D. C. Jone J. 1900. Mrs. J. B. Ayres, Reynoldsville, November

Reed E. Kline, Butte, Montana, [new] June

Elisha Cox, Sandy Valley, October 21, '97. Daniel Syphrit, Reynoldsville, September

E. L. Moore, Rathmel, January 1, 1900. G. W. Palen, West Reynoldsville, September i, '98.

For Sale.

"Frank's New Tavern," stable, ice house and other buildings. House refitted and furnished. All modern improvements, closets, bath, &c. Almost three town lots. Reasons for selling, falling health. F. A. McConnell.

Santa Claus could do no better than oad up with goods at our store. Look at the prices: Cook stoves \$10.00, coal heating stoves \$4.00, gas heating stoves \$1.50, beautiful oil stoves \$1.80.

HALL & BARTON.

The finest selection of china in town is to be found at C. F. Hoffman's.

When you want to buy a good gun, revolver, ammunition, or anything in that line, go to Alex. Riston's.

Nothing makes a nicer Christmas gift than a pair of Robinson's slippers.

The man who wants to get something for nothing will never succeed by patronizing the fellows who agree to do it if you will enclose ter cents in silver.-Big Run Tribune.

Oxfords for 50 cents per pair on J. E. Welsh & Co.'s bargain counter.

All the latest things in trunks, telescopes and traveling bags at Seeley's.

Buy your boy a watch for Christmas Gooder has them from \$2.50 up.

Just received at Clark's, next door to postoffice, parsnips, carrots, cabbage, celery, sweet potatoes, pop corn.

A full line of men's dress gloves 50c.

to \$2.00 at Seeley's. The cheapest place to buy your holiday presents and toys for the little ones

is at the Reynolds Drug Store.

HOLIDAY GOODS

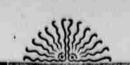
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AT STOKE'S.

The Lowest Price The Largest Stock Christmas

Stock now ready



You are Invited

to make your selections early.



Holiday Suggestions



We'll gladly

hold them until wanted.

Provide your wants and Profit by these Prices. You can come to our store not merely expecting to see the largest selection of

Men's Clothing and Furnishing Goods

but also with the expectation of getting the best qualities at the lowest prices.

Umbrellas

A suitable holiday gift for men or women. We have hundreds to choose from in Pearl, Ivory, Horn and Dresden, with silver deposit work, also plain Natural, Silver Trimmed Natural and Fancy Novelty Handles. Taffeta Silk, also Gloria materials, all mounted on steel rods and Paragon frames. price 50c. to \$3.50.

The famous self-raising umbrellas at our store.

Mens' Underwear

Men's Sanitary fleecelined underwear, four-ply fleecing, shirts and drawers with double cuffs, extraordinary values, only 50c.

HANDKERCHIEFS

An endless variety to select from.

Men's Initial Hemstitched Handkerchiefs in Japanette, Linen and Silk, prices 10c. to 50c.

Men's plain white, fancy bordered handkerchiefs, in Japanette or Silk, prices 10c. to 50c.

Many of these designs are exclusive with us.

Men's Dress and Business Suits

Not always to be had within the limits of a ten-dollar price. Good linings and careful sewing make up more than half a suit's service.

We've told you of these suits before, but the story is worth repeating. They are the best selections in the town.

25c. to \$1.50.

lined or unlined, 50c.

Dress Gloves

Men's Dress Kid Gloves,

Men's Dress Kid Gloves,

lined or unlined, also silk-

lined Mocha Gloves, best

Gloves in all grades from

Astrachan and Wool

make in the town, \$1.00.

A royal line to choose from. Pure silk to the finest English silk, ranging in price from 50c. to \$1.25.

Mufflers

The Oxford Muffler, the newest and best neck protector, only \$1.25.

Cardigan Jackets

Full and complete line in all grades and sizes. Prices, 75c., \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Men's Fancy Bosom-

Dress Shirts

A new line just in; choicest patterns for the holidays, in fancy, all over Madras cloth, cuffs to match, \$1.50 values at our store, \$1.00.

Our Hat Department

OVERCOATS

makes the choosing easy. To tell it briefly, we have all styles and sizes in Winter Weights. COVERTS, CHINCHILLAS, BEAVERS, MEL-

TONS and KERSEYS, made to meet your idea of Clothing Quality,

\$5.00 to \$12.00

serviceably lined, finished with care and perfect in fit. Prices from

to \$30.00 for tailor-made goods that don't fit as nice as ours.

We are selling Fine Overcoats at low prices. An endless choice

We bought these goods to sell to men who have quit paying \$25.00

Keeps in close touch with all the correct shapes, and there is no time when you cannot save from 50c. to \$1.50 on a Stiff or Fedora Hat. \$1.50 for a hat sold elsewhere at \$2.00; \$3.00 for a hat sold elsewhere at \$4.00. All colors-Black, Brown and Pearl.

When casting about for something to buy for

Christmas Gifts

do not forget we have the most substantial articles ever offered. There is no Christmas Gift that would please, benefit and leave such lasting effect as those shown at our store.

MILLIRENS.